



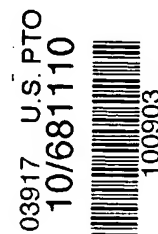
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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Re: Application of **Qamar ABBASI** entitled

AN EYE SHIELD

Our Ref: **Q77922**

Dear Sir:

This is a request for a Continuation Application of pending prior Application No. 10/103,824 (Confirmation No. 4581) filed March 25, 2002 of Qamar ABBASI entitled AN EYE SHIELD.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b). Enclosed is a specification, including the claims and abstract, 3 sheets of drawings, and a copy of the Declaration as filed in the prior application. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) listing references cited by applicant and/or the Examiner during prosecution of the prior application.

The prior application is assigned to Group Art Unit 3624.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
IRELAND	S980556	July 10, 1998

The priority document was filed in parent Application No. 10/103,824 and 09/743,418.

Applicant claims benefit of small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.27.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows (**Small Entity fees apply**):

Total claims	<u>15</u> - 20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$9.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>1</u> - 3	=	<u> </u>	x	\$43.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee								\$385.00

TOTAL FILING FEE \$385.00

A check for the statutory fee of \$385.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



Filing of Continuation Application
Attorney Docket Q77922
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A Petition and payment for an extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith in Application No. 10/103,824. The application is timely filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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